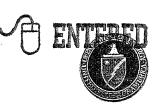


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Mr. James Bearzi, Chief Hazardous Waste Bureau New Mexico Environment Department 2905 Rodeo Park Road East, Bldg. 1 Santa Fe, NM 87505

SUBJECT: Submittal of the Response to the Notice of Disapproval for the Tijeras Arroyo Groundwater (TAG) Investigation Report at Sandia National Laboratories/New Mexico

Dear Mr. Bearzi:

On behalf of the Department of Energy/National Nuclear Security Administration (DOE/NNSA) and Sandia Corporation, DOE/NNSA is submitting Responses to the NMED's "Notice of Disapproval: TAG Investigation Report, November 2005, Sandia National Laboratories, EPA ID NM5890110518, SNL-05-028.," received August 1, 2008.

Should you have any questions on this response, contact me at (505) 845-6036 or John Gould of my staff at (505) 845-6089.

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